

FEDERAL MEDICAID REIMBURSEMENT

ADDITIONAL MEDICAID DOLLARS

\$ 19.6 Million

- Meeting our health care needs and sustaining services in the future
- Using these dollars within current levels of state and federal spending authority. (Utilize additional federal dollar spending authorized by Legislature.)

2003 – 2005 Biennium

- 8.0 Million

- Maintaining continuum of care for Medically Needy seniors and families, for nursing homes, and personal care, as well as services such as dental, hospice and therapy

2005 – 2007 Biennium and Beyond

\$ 11.6 Million

- Sustaining services at current levels without adding additional state dollars

HEALTH CARE WORKING GROUP

- Consists of medical providers and health care consumers, such as hospitals, physicians, insurers, long term care providers, senior groups and disability advocates
- Formed to examine best practices under Medicaid and to recommend sustainable program changes
- Will incorporate new, anticipated federal programs, such as prescription drugs and increased rural hospital reimbursement under Medicare

Federal Medicaid Matching Rates:

Current:	68.31 %
Year 1, '03-05	72.09 %
Year 2, '03-05 and beyond (estimated)	66.95 %

Source: Office of Management and Budget